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Key: a-asked price b-bid price n-nominal quotation

The open contract figures shown in this publication are aggregates of positions (one side only) reported by clearing members.

Table 1. WHEAT: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets
September 1960

Date	Chicago : Board of : Trade	Minneapolis : Grain : Exchange	Kansas City : Board of : Trade	Other : contract : markets	Total
1960 September	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	9,988	1,151	1,484	112	12,735
2	6,743	1,513	1,002	60	9,318
Saturday					
Sunday					
Holiday					
6	4,697	1,731	1,065	99	7,592
7	5,196	1,410	798	60	7,464
8	5,212	896	1,045	26	7,179
9	5,108	818	600	33	6,559
Saturday					
Sunday					
12	3,130	1,559	427	20	5,136
13	4,079	1,166	612	24	5,881
14	4,161	1,150	572	9	5,892
15	5,483	1,387	1,000	48	7,918
16	2,077	1,672	805	31	4,585
Saturday					
Sunday					
19	3,784	1,040	562	56	5,442
20	4,761	1,384	961	34	7,140
21	4,611	2,348	416	44	7,419
22	3,433	1,319	445	65	5,262
23	5,001	1,084	735	75	6,895
Saturday					
Sunday					
26	6,495	1,277	1,106	107	8,985
27	5,595	1,199	1,115	42	7,951
28	4,273	1,130	566	23	5,992
29	9,081	989	870	76	11,016
30	3,718	895	395	53	5,061
Total					
Sept. 1960	106,626	27,118	16,581	1,097	151,422
Aug. 1960	189,783	47,589	39,866	1,633	278,871
Sept. 1959	183,963	22,610	21,396	2,390	230,359

Table 2. WHEAT: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade
September 1960.

Date	Future					All futures
	September	December	March	May	July	
1960 September	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	3,773	3,544	1,902	690	79	9,988
2	1,554	2,033	2,063	891	202	6,743
Saturday						
Sunday						
Holiday						
6	1,058	2,198	730	502	209	4,697
7	1,032	2,432	955	516	261	5,196
8	950	2,698	883	577	104	5,212
9	553	2,727	1,286	496	46	5,108
Saturday						
Sunday						
12	239	2,012	497	302	80	3,130
13	683	1,774	1,057	541	24	4,079
14	344	2,468	892	342	115	4,161
15	448	3,197	1,070	483	285	5,483
16	237	1,017	727	85	11	2,077
Saturday						
Sunday						
19	355	2,222	600	467	140	3,784
20	778	2,180	995	765	43	4,761
21	1,034	2,209	837	451	80	4,611
22	---	1,735	947	642	109	3,433
23	---	3,054	1,192	530	225	5,001
Saturday						
Sunday						
26	---	4,182	1,454	751	108	6,495
27	---	3,530	1,415	592	58	5,595
28	---	2,654	990	536	93	4,273
29	---	5,711	1,868	1,387	115	9,081
30	---	2,568	843	272	35	3,718
Total						
Sept. 1960	13,038	56,145	23,203	11,818	2,422	106,626
Aug. 1960	52,715	77,603	39,842	16,681	2,942	189,783
Sept. 1959	22,463	74,757	51,579	29,032	4,587	1/183,963

1/ Includes 1,545 (1960) September future

Table 3. WHEAT: Open contracts, all futures combined, by markets
September 1960

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Minneapolis Grain Exchange	Kansas City Board of Trade	Other contract markets	Total
1960	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
September	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>
1	111,710	10,922	15,067	558	138,257
2	111,335	10,903	14,887	567	137,692
Saturday					
Sunday					
Holiday					
6	110,633	10,969	14,837	559	136,998
7	110,717	10,659	14,678	552	136,606
8	110,784	10,678	14,283	553	136,298
9	109,457	10,746	14,189	539	134,931
Saturday					
Sunday					
12	108,852	10,773	14,162	525	134,312
13	108,631	10,820	14,302	517	134,270
14	107,838	10,735	14,367	521	133,461
15	107,735	10,739	14,392	557	133,423
16	107,266	10,785	14,607	529	133,187
Saturday					
Sunday					
19	106,877	10,682	14,573	528	132,660
20	107,032	10,702	14,625	533	132,892
21	106,030	10,453	14,611	543	131,637
22	106,169	10,154	14,486	557	131,366
23	105,390	10,194	14,384	572	130,540
Saturday					
Sunday					
26	104,713	10,226	14,155	581	129,675
27	104,095	10,260	13,985	598	128,938
28	103,254	10,218	13,760	600	127,832
29	101,709	10,363	13,665	583	126,320
30	101,098	10,253	13,730	575	125,656

Table 4. WHEAT: Open contracts, Chicago Board of Trade
September 1960

Date	Future					All futures
	September	December	March	May	July	
1960 September	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	4,858	54,850	36,665	14,085	1,252	111,710
2	3,444	55,096	37,142	14,337	1,316	111,335
Saturday						
Sunday						
Holiday						
6	2,675	54,942	37,222	14,421	1,373	110,633
7	2,134	55,030	37,402	14,689	1,462	110,717
8	2,067	55,264	37,191	14,778	1,484	110,784
9	1,757	54,423	36,980	14,789	1,508	109,457
Saturday						
Sunday						
12	1,572	53,902	37,042	14,808	1,528	108,852
13	1,493	53,775	37,036	14,793	1,534	108,631
14	1,290	53,257	36,947	14,785	1,559	107,838
15	1,473	52,737	36,857	14,889	1,779	107,735
16	1,223	52,427	36,961	14,877	1,778	107,266
Saturday						
Sunday						
19	1,065	52,059	36,985	14,917	1,851	106,877
20	1,293	51,464	37,368	15,040	1,867	107,032
21	375	51,111	37,533	15,134	1,877	106,030
22	100	50,974	37,919	15,263	1,913	106,169
23	---	50,028	37,887	15,448	2,027	105,390
Saturday						
Sunday						
26	---	49,159	37,931	15,632	1,991	104,713
27	---	48,392	38,079	15,606	2,018	104,095
28	---	47,782	37,928	15,504	2,040	103,254
29	---	46,468	37,592	15,589	2,060	101,709
30	---	45,845	37,613	15,605	2,035	101,098

Table 5. WHEAT: Daily closing prices, at Chicago, Minneapolis and Kansas City
September 1960

Date	1960 December future		
	Chicago	Minneapolis	Kansas City
	Board of	Grain	Board of
	Trade	Exchange	Trade
1960 September	Cents	Cents	Cents
1	192 3/8	210 3/4	197 5/8
2	192 1/4	210 1/4	196 7/8
Saturday			
Sunday			
Holiday			
6	192 1/4-3/8	209 7/8	197 5/8
7	192	210	197 3/8
8	192 1/2	209 7/8	197 1/2
9	193-93 1/8	210	197 1/2
Saturday			
Sunday			
12	192 3/4-5/8	209 7/8-210	197 1/8
13	193 1/4-1/8	210 1/4	197 1/2
14	193 1/8	210 1/4	197 1/2
15	193 3/8-1/4	210 1/4	197 3/8
16	193 1/4-1/8	209 7/8	197
Saturday			
Sunday			
19	192 7/8-3/4	209 1/4	196 1/2
20	193-192 7/8	208 7/8	196 5/8
21	193 3/8-1/2	209 3/8	196 7/8
22	193 1/2	209 1/4	197
23	193 7/8-3/4	208 7/8	197 3/8
Saturday			
Sunday			
26	194 1/2-5/8	208 3/4-7/8	197 7/8
27	194 7/8-3/4	209 1/8	198 1/4-1/8
28	195-95 1/8	209 7/8	198 3/8
29	195 1/8-195	209 5/8	197 3/4
30	194 5/8-3/4	210	197 5/8

Table 6. WHEAT: High, low and closing prices, three principal futures, Chicago Board of Trade, September 1960

Date	1960 September future			1960 December future			1961 March future		
	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing
1960									
September:	Cents	Cents	Cents	:Cents	Cents	Cents	:Cents	Cents	Cents
1	:186	184 5/8	185 5/8-3/4	:192 3/4	191 1/2	192 3/8	:197 5/8	196 3/8	197 1/4
2	:186 1/8	185 3/8	185 5/8	:192 3/4	192 1/8	192 1/4	:197 3/4	197	197
Saturday:				:			:		
Sunday :				:			:		
Holiday :				:			:		
6	:185 7/8	185 5/8	185 3/4	:192 1/2	192 1/8	192 1/4-3/8	:197 3/4	197	197 1/4
7	:185 7/8	185 1/2	185 5/8-1/2	:192 3/8	191 7/8	192	:197 1/4	197	197 1/8-197
8	:186 1/4	185 5/8	186 1/8-186	:192 5/8	192	192 1/2	:197 5/8	197 1/8	197 1/2
9	:186 3/4	186 3/8	186 5/8	:193 1/8	192 5/8	193-93 1/8	:198 1/8	197 3/4	198 1/8
Saturday:				:			:		
Sunday :				:			:		
12	:186 1/2	186 1/4	186 1/4	:192 7/8	192 1/2	192 3/4-5/8	:197 7/8	197 5/8	197 3/4-5/8
13	:187 3/4	186 5/8	187 3/8	:193 3/8	192 3/4	193 1/4-1/8	:198 3/8	197 3/4	198 1/4
14	:187 1/2	187	187 1/8	:193 1/2	193 1/8	193 1/8	:198 1/2	198 1/8	198 1/4
15	:187 5/8	187 1/4	187 3/8	:193 5/8	193 1/8	193 3/8-1/4	:198 5/8	198 1/8	198 3/8
16	:187 1/2	187 1/4	187 1/4	:193 1/2	193	193 1/4-1/8	:198 1/2	198 1/8	198 1/8-1/4
Saturday:				:			:		
Sunday :				:			:		
19	:187 1/2	187 3/8	187 3/8	:193 3/8	192 3/4	192 7/8-3/4	:198 3/8	197 5/8	197 5/8
20	:187 3/4	187 1/4	187 3/4	:193	192 3/4	193-192 7/8	:197 7/8	197 1/2	197 3/4
21	:189 1/2	187 3/4	189-89 3/8	:193 5/8	192 7/8	193 3/8-1/2	:198 3/8	198	198 1/4
22	:---	---	---	:193 5/8	193 1/4	193 1/2	:198 5/8	197 7/8	198-98 1/8
23	:---	---	---	:193 7/8	193 3/8	193 7/8-3/4	:198 1/4	197 7/8	198
Saturday:				:			:		
Sunday :				:			:		
26	:---	---	---	:194 5/8	193 3/4	194 1/2-5/8	:198 7/8	197 7/8	198 5/8-3/4
27	:---	---	---	:194 7/8	194 5/8	194 7/8-3/4	:199 1/4	198 3/4	199 1/8-199
28	:---	---	---	:195 1/8	194 3/4	195-95 1/8	:199 1/2	198 7/8	199 3/8-1/2
29	:---	---	---	:195 1/4	194 1/4	195 1/8-195	:199 1/2	198 5/8	199 1/2
30	:---	---	---	:195 1/8	194 1/2	194 5/8-3/4	:199 1/2	199 1/8	199 1/8-1/4

Table 7. WHEAT: Commitments of traders
all contract markets 1 combined,
August 31, and September 30, 1960

(In thousands of bushels)

Class <u>2/</u>	August 31, 1960		September 30, 1960		Net Change	
	Long	Short	Long	Short	Long	Short
Large traders	:	:	:	:	:	:
Speculative:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Long <u>or</u> short only	: 9,610	: 3,386	: 11,402	: 3,060	: + 1,792	- 326
Long <u>and</u> short	:	:	:	:	:	:
(spreading)	: 12,190	: 12,190	: 13,185	: 13,185	: + 995	+ 995
Total	: 21,800	: 15,576	: 24,587	: 16,245	: + 2,787	+ 669
Hedging	: 43,318	: 102,308	: 33,297	: 90,232	: -10,021	- 12,076
Total reported by large traders	: 65,118	: 117,884	: 57,884	: 106,477	: - 7,234	- 11,407
Small traders	:	:	:	:	:	:
Speculative and hedging	: 76,682	: 23,916	: 67,772	: 19,179	: - 8,910	- 4,737
Total commitments (open contracts)	:	:	:	:	:	:
All contract markets	: 141,800	: 141,800	: 125,656	: 125,656	: -16,144	- 16,144
Percent of total commitments held by:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Large traders:	: 45.9	: 83.1	: 46.1	: 84.7	: + 0.2	+ 1.6
Small traders	: 54.1	: 16.9	: 53.9	: 15.3	: - 0.2	- 1.6

1/Chicago Board of Trade, Kansas City Board of Trade, Minneapolis Grain Exchange, Chicago Open Board of Trade and Milwaukee Grain Exchange.

2/ The commitments of large traders, those holding positions of 200,000 bushels or more in one future on one market, are shown as classified by them in regular reports to the Commodity Exchange Authority. The commitments of small traders are derived by subtracting reporting traders commitments from total commitments, and include both speculative and hedging positions.

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Table 8. CORN: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets
September 1960

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Other contracts markets	Total
1960 September	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	3,643	28	3,671
2	3,517	62	3,579
Saturday			
Sunday			
Holiday			
6	4,413	49	4,462
7	3,260	10	3,270
8	3,362	1	3,363
9	3,731	13	3,744
Saturday			
Sunday			
12	4,671	5	4,676
13	2,856	9	2,865
14	4,815	10	4,825
15	4,389	39	4,428
16	7,961	---	7,961
Saturday			
Sunday			
19	4,281	41	4,322
20	6,247	14	6,261
21	10,494	16	10,510
22	3,002	14	3,016
23	3,009	38	3,047
Saturday			
Sunday			
26	4,187	120	4,307
27	5,910	17	5,927
28	4,120	18	4,138
29	3,521	7	3,528
30	3,037	5	3,042
Total			
Sept. 1960	94,426	516	94,942
Aug. 1960	117,490	800	118,290
Sept. 1959	118,775	487	119,262

Table 9. CORN: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade
September 1960

Date	Future					All futures
	September	December	March	May	July	
1960 September	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	1,213	1,729	624	72	5	3,643
2	876	2,065	249	317	10	3,517
Saturday						
Sunday						
Holiday						
6	1,113	1,996	870	427	7	4,413
7	1,075	1,354	590	216	25	3,260
8	1,305	1,384	498	170	5	3,362
9	1,161	1,611	748	186	25	3,731
Saturday						
Sunday						
12	591	2,910	924	218	28	4,671
13	851	1,576	254	165	10	2,856
14	1,071	2,991	370	373	10	4,815
15	1,061	2,182	448	657	41	4,389
16	3,436	3,740	423	359	3	7,961
Saturday						
Sunday						
19	1,514	2,177	369	143	78	4,281
20	2,449	2,905	614	264	15	6,247
21	5,981	3,500	639	299	75	10,494
22	---	2,184	458	355	5	3,002
23	---	2,215	411	350	33	3,009
Saturday						
Sunday						
26	---	3,097	636	435	19	4,187
27	1/ 70	4,032	874	889	45	5,910
28	---	2,831	655	537	97	4,120
29	---	2,409	687	425	---	3,521
30	---	2,115	466	456	---	3,037
Total						
Sept. 1960	23,767	51,003	11,807	7,313	536	94,426
Aug. 1960	55,794	43,381	13,084	5,045	186	117,490
Sept. 1959	31,590	52,850	18,134	12,067	4,134	118,775

1/ Exchange of futures for cash

Table 10. CORN: Open contracts, all futures combined, by markets
September 1960

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Other contracts markets	Total
1960 September	1,000 <u>bushels</u>	1,000 <u>bushels</u>	1,000 <u>bushels</u>
1	48,897	293	49,190
2	49,180	270	49,450
Saturday			
Sunday			
Holiday			
6	49,908	257	50,165
7	49,601	259	49,860
8	50,124	259	50,383
9	50,901	265	51,166
Saturday			
Sunday			
12	52,436	269	52,705
13	52,860	269	53,129
14	52,875	266	53,141
15	53,161	281	53,442
16	51,937	281	52,218
Saturday			
Sunday			
19	51,992	260	52,252
20	52,502	248	52,750
21	50,211	234	50,445
22	50,533	238	50,771
23	49,881	241	50,122
Saturday			
Sunday			
26	50,390	326	50,716
27	50,413	340	50,753
28	50,857	330	51,187
29	50,762	328	51,090
30	50,569	327	50,896

Table 11. CORN: Open contracts, Chicago Board of Trade
September 1960

Date	Future					All futures
	September	December	March	May	July	
1960 September	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	9,416	26,138	9,847	3,395	101	48,897
2	8,866	26,711	9,967	3,535	101	49,180
Saturday						
Sunday						
Holiday						
6	8,696	27,332	10,063	3,711	106	49,908
7	8,201	27,253	10,180	3,836	131	49,601
8	7,811	27,719	10,547	3,911	136	50,124
9	7,615	28,348	10,771	4,011	156	50,901
Saturday						
Sunday						
12	7,532	29,422	11,157	4,147	178	52,436
13	7,357	29,800	11,273	4,247	183	52,860
14	6,941	29,805	11,416	4,530	183	52,875
15	6,642	29,912	11,609	4,799	199	53,161
16	5,584	29,665	11,575	4,915	198	51,937
Saturday						
Sunday						
19	5,340	29,818	11,668	4,943	223	51,992
20	4,622	30,759	11,872	5,021	228	52,502
21	1,600	31,356	11,920	5,072	263	50,211
22	1,200	31,771	12,067	5,237	258	50,533
23	905	31,341	12,115	5,257	263	49,881
Saturday						
Sunday						
26	905	31,735	12,181	5,292	277	50,390
27	635	31,314	12,511	5,586	317	50,413
28	530	31,301	12,761	5,891	374	50,857
29	185	30,935	13,037	6,251	374	50,762
30	---	30,500	13,165	6,500	374	50,569

Table 12. CORN: High, low and closing prices, three principal futures, Chicago Board of Trade, September 1960

Date		1960 September future			1960 December future			1961 March future		
	High	Low	Closing	High	Low	Closing	High	Low	Closing	
1960										
September	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	
1	:114 7/8	113 3/8	114 1/4	:110 7/8	110 1/8	110 5/8-3/4	:114 3/4	114	114 5/8	
2	:114 7/8	113 3/4	113 3/4	:111	110 1/2	110 1/2	:114 3/4	114 1/2	114 1/2	
Saturday	:			:			:			
Sunday	:			:			:			
Holiday	:			:			:			
6	:114 1/8	113 1/8	113 1/8-1/4	:111	110 1/4	110 1/4-3/8	:115	114 1/4	114 1/4	
7	:113 3/8	113	113 1/8-1/4	:110 1/2	110 1/4	110 1/4	:114 1/2	114 1/8	114 1/8	
8	:113 5/8	113 1/4	113 5/8-1/2	:110 1/2	110 1/4	110 3/8-1/4	:114 3/8	114 1/8	114 3/8	
9	:114 5/8	113 5/8	114 1/2-5/8	:110 1/2	110 1/4	110 1/4	:114 3/8	114 1/8	114 1/8	
Saturday	:			:			:			
Sunday	:			:			:			
12	:114 3/8	113 7/8	114 1/8-114	:110 3/8	110	110	:114 1/8	113 7/8	113 7/8	
13	:114 1/2	114	114 1/4	:110 1/4	110	110	:114	113 3/4	114	
14	:114 1/8	113 5/8	113 5/8	:110 1/8	109 5/8	109 5/8-3/4	:114	113 5/8	113 5/8	
15	:113 3/4	113 1/2	113 1/2-5/8	:109 3/4	109 3/8	109 1/2-5/8	:113 3/4	113 1/2	113 3/4	
16	:113 3/8	112 1/4	112 5/8-1/2	:109 5/8	109 1/4	109 1/4	:113 3/4	113 3/8	113 3/4-5/8	
Saturday	:			:			:			
Sunday	:			:			:			
19	:113	112 3/8	112 3/4-7/8	:109 1/2	109 1/4	109 1/4	:113 5/8	113 3/8	113 5/8	
20	:113 1/2	112 1/4	112 5/8-1/2	:109 1/2	109 1/4	109 3/8-1/4	:113 3/4	113 3/8	113 1/2	
21	:114 1/8	111 1/4	112 7/8-11 1/4	:109 1/2	109 1/8	109 1/8-1/4	:113 5/8	113 1/4	113 1/4	
22	:---	---	---	:109 1/4	109	109 1/8-1/4	:113 1/2	113 1/4	113 1/2	
23	:---	---	---	:109 1/2	109 1/8	109 3/8	:113 5/8	113 1/4	113 5/8	
Saturday	:			:			:			
Sunday	:			:			:			
26	:---	---	---	:109 1/4	108 7/8	108 7/8	:113 5/8	113 1/8	113 1/8-1/4	
27	:---	---	---	:108 7/8	108 5/8	108 3/4-7/8	:113 1/4	113 1/8	113 1/8	
28	:---	---	---	:109 1/8	108 3/4	109 1/8-109	:113 1/2	113 1/4	113 3/8-1/2	
29	:---	---	---	:109 1/4	109	109-09 1/8	:113 5/8	113 1/4	113 1/4	
30	:---	---	---	:109 1/4	108 7/8	109 1/4	:113 1/2	113 1/8	113 3/8-1/2	

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Table 13. OATS: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets
September 1960

Date	Chicago : Board of : Trade :	Minneapolis : Grain : Exchange :	Other : contract : markets :	Total
1960 September	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	3,542	113	11	3,666
2	3,307	123	---	3,430
Saturday				
Sunday				
Holiday				
6	3,483	75	20	3,578
7	4,794	203	32	5,029
8	2,117	109	12	2,238
9	1,821	51	5	1,877
Saturday				
Sunday				
12	2,093	102	8	2,203
13	2,268	39	12	2,319
14	3,465	139	2	3,606
15	1,398	111	---	1,509
16	1,404	88	---	1,492
Saturday				
Sunday				
19	1,599	68	50	1,717
20	1,470	102	27	1,599
21	4,300	98	17	4,415
22	4,732	99	7	4,838
23	4,654	75	2	4,731
Saturday				
Sunday				
26	4,947	96	146	5,189
27	4,261	73	14	4,348
28	3,258	57	9	3,324
29	2,386	45	7	2,438
30	1,985	15	5	2,005
Total				
Sept. 1960	63,284	1,881	386	65,551
Aug. 1960	87,138	3,158	585	90,881
Sept. 1959	36,221	1,436	192	37,849

Table 14. OATS: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade
September 1960

Date	Future						All futures
	September	December	March	May	July		
1960 September	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	1,192	1,946	307	72	25		3,542
2	543	1,905	669	180	10		3,307
Saturday							
Sunday							
Holiday							
6	374	2,647	225	217	20		3,483
7	525	3,098	784	382	5		4,794
8	167	1,346	285	294	25		2,117
9	132	1,475	102	97	15		1,821
Saturday							
Sunday							
12	196	870	341	661	25		2,093
13	445	1,332	360	131	---		2,268
14	415	1,786	861	321	82		3,465
15	62	821	331	69	115		1,398
16	220	690	287	147	60		1,404
Saturday							
Sunday							
19	120	822	426	171	60		1,599
20	188	811	202	189	80		1,470
21	458	2,153	1,009	585	95		4,300
22	---	2,822	1,173	455	282		4,732
23	---	2,690	1,144	675	145		4,654
Saturday							
Sunday							
26	---	3,157	1,081	515	194		4,947
27	---	2,763	547	819	132		4,261
28	---	2,191	454	479	134		3,258
29	---	1,678	352	274	82		2,386
30	---	1,146	265	269	305		1,985
Total							
Sept. 1960	5,037	38,149	11,205	7,002	1,891		63,284
Aug. 1960	23,420	46,312	12,183	4,670	553		87,138
Sept. 1959	5,409	18,808	7,519	3,728	757		36,221

Table 15. OATS: Open contracts, all futures combined, by markets
September 1960

Date	Chicago : Board of : Trade :	Minneapolis : Grain : Exchange :	Other : contract : markets :	Total
1960 September	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	40,840	1,007	429	42,276
2	40,786	999	429	42,214
Saturday				
Sunday				
Holiday				
6	42,009	998	449	43,456
7	42,509	909	455	43,873
8	42,675	905	457	44,037
9	42,635	924	457	44,016
Saturday				
Sunday				
12	43,067	937	461	44,465
13	43,242	930	463	44,635
14	43,845	924	463	45,232
15	43,936	921	463	45,320
16	44,240	956	463	45,659
Saturday				
Sunday				
19	44,529	992	513	46,034
20	44,366	1,009	496	45,871
21	45,191	1,040	509	46,740
22	45,762	1,107	504	47,373
23	46,640	1,123	506	48,269
Saturday				
Sunday				
26	46,537	1,148	415	48,100
27	47,011	1,150	416	48,577
28	47,508	1,150	421	49,079
29	47,344	1,148	414	48,906
30	47,712	1,156	419	49,287

Table 16. OATS: Open contracts, Chicago Board of Trade
September 1960

Date	Future						All futures
	September	December	March	May	July		
1960	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
September	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels
1	1,426	29,514	6,884	2,680	336		40,840
2	1,071	29,885	6,704	2,780	346		40,786
Saturday							
Sunday							
Holiday							
6	932	31,143	6,795	2,773	366		42,009
7	806	31,377	7,065	2,895	366		42,509
8	699	31,448	7,135	3,007	386		42,675
9	688	31,397	7,130	3,044	376		42,635
Saturday							
Sunday							
12	662	31,519	7,184	3,316	386		43,067
13	851	31,376	7,344	3,285	386		43,242
14	546	31,756	7,658	3,424	461		43,845
15	316	31,822	7,810	3,427	561		43,936
16	366	31,942	7,817	3,494	621		44,240
Saturday							
Sunday							
19	291	32,050	7,929	3,588	671		44,529
20	201	31,873	7,989	3,617	686		44,366
21	278	32,397	8,162	3,648	706		45,191
22	10	32,380	8,731	3,798	843		45,762
23	---	32,356	9,262	4,084	938		46,640
Saturday							
Sunday							
26	---	32,025	9,400	4,065	1,047		46,537
27	---	31,814	9,623	4,485	1,089		47,011
28	---	31,842	9,736	4,814	1,116		47,508
29	---	31,708	9,634	4,861	1,141		47,344
30	---	31,731	9,734	4,931	1,316		47,712

Table 17. OATS: Daily closing prices, at Chicago, Minneapolis and Winnipeg
and rate of exchange Canadian currency
September 1960

1960 December future				
Date	Chicago : Board of : Trade :	Minneapolis : Grain : Exchange :	Winnipeg : Grain 1/ : Exchange :	Exchange Rate : Canadian Currency 2/
1960	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
September				
1	70-70 1/8	63 3/8	81 1/4 b	102.8687
2	69 3/4-7/8	62 7/8 a	80 3/8 b	102.9843
Saturday				
Sunday				
Holiday				
6	69 3/8-1/2	62 1/2	80 1/2	103.0677
7	68 7/8	61 7/8	80 5/8 a	103.0729
8	68 7/8	62 1/4 b	80 5/8 a	103.0031
9	69 1/8-69	62 1/8 b	80 7/8 a	103.0286
Saturday				
Sunday				
12	69 1/4	62 1/2	80 7/8 b	103.1145
13	69 3/8	62 5/8	81 1/8 a	103.1432
14	68 5/8-3/4	62 1/8 a	81 b	103.2343
15	68 5/8	62 1/8	81 1/4	103.1432
16	68 5/8-1/2	61 7/8 b	81 5/8 b	103.0156
Saturday				
Sunday				
19	68 3/8	61 7/8	81 7/8	103.0755
20	68 1/4-3/8	61 3/4	81 3/4 a	102.9713
21	67 5/8-3/4	61 3/8	81 5/8	102.7734
22	67 1/8-67	60 5/8 a	81 7/8	102.6135
23	66 1/2	60 1/8 a	81 5/8 a	102.5468
Saturday				
Sunday				
26	65 3/4-5/8	59 5/8	80 7/8 b	102.5338
27	66 3/4	60 3/8 b	80 7/8	102.3085
28	67 1/4	61	80 7/8 a	102.2083
29	66 7/8-3/4	60 7/8 a	81	102.1848
30	67 1/8-1/4	61	81	102.2786

1/ As reported by the Chicago Board of Trade and converted to American currency at rates shown.

2/ Based on noon buying rates in New York certified for customs purposes by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York.

Table 18. OATS: High, low and closing prices, three principal futures, Chicago Board of Trade, September 1960

Date	1960 September future			1960 December future			1961 March future		
	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing
1960 :									
September:	Cents	Cents	Cents	:Cents	Cents	Cents	:Cents	Cents	Cents
1	:64 3/4	64	64 1/2	:70 1/8	69 1/2	70-70 1/8	:73 1/2	73	73 1/2
2	:64 3/4	64 3/8	64 5/8-3/4	:70 1/8	69 5/8	69 3/4-7/8	:73 3/4	73 1/8	73 3/4
Saturday:									
Sunday :									
Holiday :									
6	:64 3/4	64 3/8	64 3/8	:69 7/8	69 3/8	69 3/8-1/2	:73 3/4	73 1/8	73 1/8
7	:64 1/2	63 1/2	63 3/4 b	:69 1/2	68 5/8	68 7/8	:73 1/8	72 3/8	72 1/2
8	:64 1/8	63 5/8	63 7/8	:69 1/8	68 3/4	68 7/8	:72 5/8	72 3/8	72 1/2
9	:64 1/4	63 3/4	64 1/4	:69 1/8	68 7/8	69 1/8-69	:72 3/4	72 1/2	72 1/2
Saturday:									
Sunday :									
12	:64 1/2	64 1/4	64 1/4	:69 3/8	69	69 1/4	:72 3/4	72 3/8	72 5/8
13	:64 3/4	64 1/4	64 3/4	:69 3/4	69 1/4	69 3/8	:72 7/8	72 5/8	72 5/8
14	:64 3/4	63 3/4	63 7/8	:69 1/2	68 5/8	68 5/8-3/4	:72 5/8	72	72 1/4
15	:64	63 3/4	63 7/8	:68 3/4	68 1/2	68 5/8	:72 1/4	71 7/8	72 1/8-1/4
16	:63 7/8	63 3/4	63 3/4 b	:68 3/4	68 1/2	68 5/8-1/2	:72 1/8	72	72 1/8
Saturday:									
Sunday :									
19	:63 3/4	63 5/8	63 5/8	:68 5/8	68 3/8	68 3/8	:72	71 3/4	71 3/4-7/8
20	:64 1/8	63 5/8	63 5/8	:68 5/8	68 1/4	68 1/4-3/8	:72	71 3/4	71 7/8
21	:63 7/8	62 5/8	62 7/8-5/8	:68 3/8	67 5/8	67 5/8-3/4	:71 7/8	71	71 1/8-71
22	:---	---	---	:67 3/4	67	67 1/8-67	:71 1/4	70 3/4	70 3/4
23	:---	---	---	:67 1/8	66 1/2	66 1/2	:71	70	70-70 1/8
Saturday:									
Sunday :									
26	:---	---	---	:66 3/8	65 1/2	65 3/4-5/8	:69 3/4	69	69 1/4
27	:---	---	---	:66 7/8	65 3/8	66 3/4	:70 3/8	69 1/8	70 3/8
28	:---	---	---	:67 1/4	66 5/8	67 1/4	:70 7/8	70 1/4	70 7/8
29	:---	---	---	:67 1/2	66 5/8	66 7/8-3/4	:71 1/8	70 3/8	70 1/2
30	:---	---	---	:67 1/4	66 1/2	67 1/8-1/4	:71	70 1/8	70 7/8-71

Table 19. RYE: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets
September 1960

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Other contract markets	Total
1960 September	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	2,598	73	2,671
2	1,246	9	1,255
Saturday			
Sunday			
Holiday			
6	785	18	803
7	564	17	581
8	684	7	691
9	1,571	23	1,594
Saturday			
Sunday			
12	1,989	30	2,019
13	880	6	886
14	1,115	11	1,126
15	622	3	625
16	986	2	988
Saturday			
Sunday			
19	1,661	17	1,678
20	1,517	37	1,554
21	1,762	51	1,813
22	463	14	477
23	420	5	425
Saturday			
Sunday			
26	1,493	25	1,518
27	2,010	42	2,052
28	985	8	993
29	1,209	28	1,237
30	692	10	702
Total			
Sept. 1960	25,252	436	25,688
Aug. 1960	40,574	917	41,491
Sept. 1959	68,681	1,694	70,375

Table 20. RYE: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade
September 1960

Date	Future					All futures
	September	December	March	May	July	
1960 September	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	871	1,269	272	176	10	2,598
2	445	535	189	77	---	1,246
Saturday						
Sunday						
Holiday						
6	189	472	53	71	---	785
7	44	291	121	108	---	564
8	171	330	147	31	5	684
9	589	761	128	83	10	1,571
Saturday						
Sunday						
12	543	1,092	265	89	---	1,989
13	230	451	103	96	---	880
14	200	609	175	111	20	1,115
15	112	373	87	50	---	622
16	145	609	182	50	---	986
Saturday						
Sunday						
19	191	1,211	192	67	---	1,661
20	217	971	192	137	---	1,517
21	678	909	81	94	---	1,762
22	---	287	125	51	---	463
23	---	247	90	83	---	420
Saturday						
Sunday						
26	---	983	315	190	5	1,493
27	---	1,327	385	298	---	2,010
28	---	498	263	190	34	985
29	---	625	411	128	45	1,209
30	---	502	126	64	---	692
Total						
Sept. 1960	4,625	14,352	3,902	2,244	129	25,252
Aug. 1960	14,171	20,248	3,867	2,252	36	40,574
Sept. 1959	9,453	31,785	17,814	7,112	2,517	68,681

Table 21. RYE: Open contracts, all futures combined, by markets
September 1960

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Other contract markets	Total
1960 September	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	12,000	215	12,215
2	11,949	213	12,162
Saturday			
Sunday			
Holiday			
5	11,781	220	12,001
6	11,716	226	11,942
7	11,636	224	11,860
8	11,457	239	11,696
Saturday			
Sunday			
11	11,541	245	11,786
12	11,484	244	11,728
13	11,675	239	11,914
14	11,675	236	11,911
15	11,761	236	11,997
Saturday			
Sunday			
18	11,917	244	12,161
19	12,110	233	12,343
20	12,336	210	12,546
21	12,061	219	12,280
22	12,062	221	12,283
Saturday			
Sunday			
25	12,090	227	12,317
26	12,075	254	12,329
27	12,140	248	12,388
28	12,066	248	12,314
29	11,869	244	12,113
30			

Table 22. RYE: Open contracts, Chicago Board of Trade
September 1960

Date	Future					All futures
	September	December	March	May	July	
1960	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
September	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels
1	1,928	7,373	1,599	1,061	39	12,000
2	1,624	7,528	1,695	1,063	39	11,949
Saturday						
Sunday						
Holiday						
6	1,366	7,606	1,711	1,059	39	11,781
7	1,337	7,604	1,671	1,065	39	11,716
8	1,294	7,599	1,633	1,071	39	11,636
9	979	7,696	1,637	1,096	49	11,457
Saturday						
Sunday						
12	722	7,890	1,757	1,123	49	11,541
13	595	7,887	1,791	1,162	49	11,484
14	555	8,034	1,851	1,186	49	11,675
15	508	8,035	1,882	1,201	49	11,675
16	456	8,136	1,914	1,206	49	11,761
Saturday						
Sunday						
19	453	8,295	1,934	1,186	49	11,917
20	366	8,509	1,989	1,197	49	12,110
21	325	8,724	1,997	1,241	49	12,336
22	---	8,710	2,042	1,260	49	12,061
23	---	8,671	2,062	1,280	49	12,062
Saturday						
Sunday						
26	---	8,626	2,036	1,379	49	12,090
27	---	8,569	2,051	1,406	49	12,075
28	---	8,482	2,103	1,494	61	12,140
29	---	8,369	2,126	1,490	81	12,066
30	---	8,187	2,126	1,475	81	11,869

Table 23. RYE: Daily closing prices, at Chicago and Winnipeg
September 1960

Date	1960 December future	
	Chicago	Winnipeg
	Board of	Grain
	Trade	Exchange ^{1/2}
1960 September	Cents	Cents
1	119 3/8	105 1/2
2	118 7/8-119 1/8	104 3/4 a
Saturday		
Sunday		
Holiday		
6	118 3/4	105 3/8 b
7	118 3/4	105 5/8 b
8	118 7/8-3/4	105 7/8
9	119 3/8-1/4	105 3/8
Saturday		
Sunday		
12	119 1/4	105 1/8 b
13	119 3/4	105 5/8
14	119 1/2	106 3/4
15	119 1/2	106 3/4 a
16	119 3/8	107 5/8 b
Saturday		
Sunday		
19	118 1/2-5/8	107 1/4-3/8
20	118	107 1/8 b
21	119-19 1/8	107 3/8a-106 7/8
22	118 7/8	107 7/8 a
23	119	107 1/8
Saturday		
Sunday		
26	120 1/8-120	107 3/4
27	120 5/8-3/4	107 7/8 a
28	121	107 7/8 a
29	121 3/8	108 1/4
30	121 1/8-1/4	107 3/8-1/2

^{1/} As reported by the Chicago Board of Trade and converted to American currency at rates shown in Table 17.

Table 24. RYE: High, low and closing prices, three principal futures, Chicago Board of Trade, September 1960

Date	1960 September future			1960 December future			1961 March future		
	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing
1960									
September:	Cents	Cents	Cents	:Cents	Cents	Cents	:Cents	Cents	Cents
1	:113 7/8	111 3/4	113 1/2	:119 5/8	117 7/8	119 3/8	:124 1/4	123	124 1/4
2	:113 3/4	112 3/4	112 3/4-113	:119 1/2	118 3/4	118 7/8-119 1/8	:124 1/4	123 3/4	123 3/4
Saturday :									
Sunday :									
Holiday :									
6	:113 3/8	113	113 1/4	:119 3/8	118 3/4	118 3/4	:124 1/8	123 5/8	123 5/8-3/4
7	:113 5/8	113 1/4	113 1/2	:119 1/4	118 3/4	118 3/4	:124 1/4	123 1/2	123 1/2
8	:113 3/4	113 1/2	113 3/4	:119	118 3/4	118 7/8-3/4	:123 5/8	123 3/8	123 1/2
9	:114 1/2	113 7/8	114 3/8	:119 3/8	118 7/8	119 3/8-1/4	:124 1/8	123 5/8	123 7/8-124
Saturday :									
Sunday :									
12	:115	114	114 1/4 b	:119 3/4	119 1/8	119 1/4	:124 1/2	124	124
13	:115	114 3/8	114 7/8	:120	119 3/8	119 3/4	:124 3/4	124	124 1/2
14	:114 3/4	114 1/2	114 1/2	:119 7/8	119 1/2	119 1/2	:124 3/4	124 1/4	124 1/4
15	:114 7/8	114 1/2	114 3/4	:119 7/8	119 1/2	119 1/2	:124 5/8	124 1/4	124 1/4
16	:115	114 1/4	114 3/8	:119 3/4	119 1/4	119 3/8	:124 3/4	123 7/8	123 7/8
Saturday									
Sunday									
19	:114 1/4	113 3/4	113 3/4	:119 1/4	118 1/2	118 1/2-5/8	:123 7/8	123 3/8	123 3/8
20	:113 3/4	113	113	:118 3/4	118	118	:123 5/8	122 3/4	122 3/4
21	:114 1/2	112 1/2	114-14 1/2	:119 1/8	117 5/8	119-19 1/8	:123 1/2	122 5/8	123 1/2
22	:---	---	---	:119	118 7/8	118 7/8	:123 7/8	123 3/4	123 3/4
23	:---	---	---	:119	118 3/8	119	:123 3/4	123 1/4	123 5/8
Saturday									
Sunday									
26	:---	---	---	:120 1/8	118 1/2	120 1/8-120	:125	123 3/8	124 7/8-125
27	:---	---	---	:121 1/4	120	120 5/8-3/4	:126 1/4	125	125 5/8
28	:---	---	---	:121 1/8	120 1/2	121	:125 7/8	125 3/8	125 3/4-5/8
29	:---	---	---	:121 3/8	120 3/4	121 3/8	:126 1/8	125 1/2	125 3/4
30	:---	---	---	:121 3/8	121	121 1/8-1/4	:125 3/4	125 1/2	125 3/4

Table 25. SOYBEANS: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets
September 1960

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Chicago Open Board	Total
1960 September	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	14,185	324	14,509
2	22,750	391	23,141
Saturday			
Sunday			
Holiday			
6	26,566	604	27,170
7	22,387	365	22,752
8	17,156	256	17,412
9	24,999	345	25,344
Saturday			
Sunday			
12	29,120	473	29,593
13	19,395	321	19,716
14	26,897	493	27,390
15	15,202	286	15,488
16	21,853	357	22,210
Saturday			
Sunday			
19	20,042	336	20,378
20	16,330	439	16,769
21	27,601	578	28,179
22	7,863	254	8,117
23	15,207	364	15,571
Saturday			
Sunday			
26	20,298	423	20,721
27	12,763	228	12,991
28	17,070	310	17,380
29	18,394	321	18,715
30	20,427	327	20,754
Total			
Sept. 1960	416,505	7,795	424,300
Aug. 1960	498,544	8,733	507,277
Sept. 1959	327,895	4,159	1/332,124

1/ Includes 70 Minneapolis soybeans

Table 26. SOYBEANS: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade
September 1960

Date	Future						All futures
	September	November	January	March	May	July	
1960 September	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	1,605	6,087	2,005	2,539	1,949		14,185
2	3,125	11,449	4,016	2,096	2,064		22,750
Saturday							
Sunday							
Holiday							
6	2,985	14,137	3,777	2,928	2,739		26,566
7	2,728	10,535	3,595	3,052	2,477		22,387
8	2,235	8,639	2,447	1,824	2,011		17,156
9	1,766	11,412	5,282	3,917	2,622		24,999
Saturday							
Sunday							
12	1,679	13,428	6,023	4,188	3,802		29,120
13	940	8,915	3,275	3,268	2,997		19,395
14	2,484	12,812	6,016	2,936	2,649		26,897
15	2,482	7,192	2,632	1,273	1,623		15,202
16	4,015	9,915	3,743	1,995	2,185		21,853
Saturday							
Sunday							
19	3,041	10,272	3,756	1,366	1,607		20,042
20	2,608	6,862	3,538	1,782	1,540		16,330
21	8,582	10,441	3,958	2,972	1,648		27,601
22	---	3,989	1,210	1,322	939	403	7,863
23	---	8,157	2,529	2,325	1,947	249	15,207
Saturday							
Sunday							
26	---	9,540	4,027	2,947	3,200	584	20,298
27	---	6,121	2,866	1,988	1,607	181	12,763
28	---	8,016	4,261	2,571	1,774	448	17,070
29	---	8,715	4,095	3,149	1,948	487	18,394
30	---	8,714	5,621	2,830	3,068	194	20,427
Total							
Sept. 1960	40,275	195,348	78,672	53,268	46,396	2,546	416,505
Aug. 1960	104,729	227,547	73,194	48,932	44,142	---	498,544
Sept. 1959	18,968	160,465	61,936	44,584	36,453	5,489	327,895

Table 27. SOYBEANS: Open contracts, all futures combined, by markets
September 1960

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Chicago Open Board	Total
1960 September	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	115,189	663	115,852
2	115,134	684	115,818
Saturday			
Sunday			
Holiday			
6	116,875	688	117,563
7	118,633	717	119,350
8	117,682	687	118,369
9	119,039	634	119,673
Saturday			
Sunday			
12	122,480	655	123,135
13	126,837	673	127,510
14	127,980	777	128,757
15	127,604	777	128,381
16	127,133	833	127,966
Saturday			
Sunday			
19	126,344	888	127,232
20	126,872	837	127,709
21	123,556	766	124,322
22	124,100	727	124,827
23	125,334	709	126,043
Saturday			
Sunday			
26	126,922	756	127,678
27	127,000	789	127,789
28	127,934	808	128,742
29	129,909	818	130,727
30	130,950	843	131,793

Table 28. SOYBEANS: Open contracts, Chicago Board of Trade
September 1960

Date	Future						All futures
	September	November	January	March	May	July	
1960 September	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	15,236	43,523	21,329	20,721	14,380		115,189
2	14,457	43,317	21,537	21,167	14,656		115,134
Saturday							
Sunday							
Holiday							
6	13,675	43,755	21,957	21,975	15,513		116,875
7	12,779	43,923	22,661	22,775	16,495		118,633
8	11,630	43,043	23,212	22,829	16,968		117,682
9	10,983	42,827	24,083	23,679	17,467		119,039
Saturday							
Sunday							
12	10,402	44,680	24,610	24,273	18,515		122,480
13	10,287	45,285	24,994	26,158	20,113		126,837
14	9,477	45,191	26,000	26,505	20,807		127,980
15	8,311	45,490	26,147	26,658	20,998		127,604
16	6,768	45,528	26,239	26,981	21,617		127,133
Saturday							
Sunday							
19	6,136	44,291	26,555	27,216	22,146		126,344
20	4,856	44,619	27,443	27,513	22,441		126,872
21	514	44,648	27,653	27,922	22,819		123,556
22	5	44,696	27,719	28,078	23,266	336	124,100
23	5	44,236	28,075	28,403	24,121	494	125,334
Saturday							
Sunday							
26	---	44,173	28,016	28,990	24,979	764	126,922
27	---	43,832	27,982	29,387	24,973	826	127,000
28	---	43,745	27,528	30,098	25,482	1,081	127,934
29	---	43,929	27,442	31,264	26,063	1,211	129,909
30	---	43,271	28,785	31,475	26,101	1,318	130,950

Table 29. SOYBEANS: High, low and closing prices, three principal futures, Chicago Board of Trade, September 1960

Date	1960 September future			1960 November future			1961 January future		
	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing
1960									
September:	Cents	Cents	Cents	:Cents	Cents	Cents	:Cents	Cents	Cents
1	:215 1/4	214 3/8	214 7/8	:215 1/2	214 1/2	215-15 1/8	:219 5/8	218 5/8	219 1/4-1/8
2	:214 7/8	213 3/8	214 1/4-3/8	:215 3/8	213 3/4	215 1/8-1/4	:219 5/8	218 1/4	219 1/4-3/8
Saturday :									
Sunday :									
Holiday :									
6	:216 1/2	214 7/8	215 7/8-3/4	:217 1/2	215 3/4	216 5/8-3/4	:221 5/8	219 7/8	221-220 3/4
7	:216 3/4	215 5/8	215 3/4-7/8	:217 5/8	216 5/8	216 3/4-5/8	:221 7/8	220 3/4	220 3/4
8	:216 5/8	216	216 1/2-5/8	:217 1/4	216 5/8	217-17 1/8	:221 1/4	220 7/8	221 1/8
9	:217 3/8	216 1/4	217 1/4	:218	216 5/8	217 3/4-7/8	:222 1/4	220 7/8	222-22 1/8
Saturday :									
Sunday :									
12	:215 5/8	214 1/8	214 1/2-1/4	:216 1/8	214 7/8	215 1/4-3/8	:220 1/4	219	219 3/8-1/2
13	:215 5/8	214 3/8	215-15 1/8	:216 1/8	215	215 3/4-7/8	:220 1/4	219 1/4	219 7/8-220
14	:214 7/8	213 5/8	213 7/8-3/4	:215 5/8	214 1/4	214 3/8-1/2	:219 7/8	218 1/2	218 3/4-5/8
15	:214 3/8	213 3/8	213 1/2-3/8	:215 1/4	214 3/8	214 3/4-5/8	:219 3/8	218 5/8	219 1/8-219
16	:214	212	212 3/8-1/8	:215 1/8	214 1/8	214 1/2-1/4	:219 3/8	218 3/8	218 1/2-3/4
Saturday :									
Sunday :									
19	:212	211 1/4	211 1/2-3/8	:214 1/4	213 5/8	214-213 3/4	:218 3/4	217 7/8	218-217 7/8
20	:212 1/2	211 3/8	212 3/8	:214 5/8	213 3/4	214 3/8-1/2	:218 3/4	218	218 1/2-5/8
21	:213	211 3/4	212 3/4-11 7/8	:215 1/2	214 5/8	215 3/8-1/4	:219 5/8	218 7/8	219 1/2-5/8
22	:---	---	---	:215 1/8	214 5/8	214 3/4-5/8	:219 1/4	218 7/8	218 7/8
23	:---	---	---	:214 3/4	213 7/8	214 1/8-1/4	:219	218	218 3/8-1/4
Saturday :									
Sunday :									
26	:---	---	---	:213 3/4	212 5/8	213-212 7/8	:217 7/8	216 3/4	217-17 1/8
27	:---	---	---	:213 5/8	212 7/8	213-13 1/8	:217 5/8	217	217-17 1/8
28	:---	---	---	:213 3/4	212 7/8	213 1/2-3/8	:217 7/8	217	217 5/8-1/2
29	:---	---	---	:213 7/8	212 5/8	212 3/4-5/8	:218	216 3/4	216 7/8-3/4
30	:---	---	---	:212 5/8	212	212 1/8-1/4	:216 3/4	216 1/8	216 3/8-1/4

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Table 30. SOYBEANS: Commitments of traders
all contract markets 1 combined,
August 31, and September 30, 1960

(In thousands of bushels)							
Class <u>2</u> /	August 31, 1960		September 30, 1960		Net Change		
	Long	Short	Long	Short	Long	Short	
Large traders							
Speculative:							
Long or short only	12,955	10,385	14,635	9,454	+ 1,680	- 931	
Long and short (spreading)	31,885	31,885	39,576	39,576	+ 7,691	+ 7,691	
Total	44,840	42,270	54,211	49,030	+ 9,371	+ 6,760	
Hedging	14,695	25,452	14,195	41,080	- 500	+ 15,628	
Total reported by large traders	59,535	67,722	68,406	90,110	+ 8,871	+22,388	
Small traders							
Speculative and hedging	54,970	46,783	63,387	41,683	+ 8,417	- 5,100	
Total commitments (open contracts)							
All contract markets	114,505	114,505	131,793	131,793	+17,288	+17,288	
Percent of total commit- ments held by:							
Large traders	52.0	59.1	51.9	68.4	- 0.1	+ 9.3	
Small traders	48.0	40.9	48.1	31.6	+ 0.1	- 9.3	

1/ Chicago Board of Trade and Chicago Open Board of Trade.

2/ The commitments of large traders, those holding positions of 200,000 bushels or more in one future on one market, are shown as classified by them in regular reports to the Commodity Exchange Authority. The commitments of small traders are derived by subtracting reporting traders commitments from total commitments, and include both speculative and hedging positions.

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